

Getting Matters Adjusted

"Aren't you a trifle late?" asked the girl when she met the young man at the door.

"I believe I am a little," replied the young man. "A wagon load of coal was wrecked on the track and that delayed my car for a few minutes. But I'll go home a few minutes earlier to-night to make up for it. Is that a new gown—and that rose in your hair? You're certainly a dream! I have got to have another kiss. Whom do I hear in the parlor?"

"That's Mr. and Mrs. Cawsworthy and a niece of theirs and old Mrs. Dwyne. I want you to meet them. Come in."

"Hold on a minute!"

"What's the matter?"

"It was a week ago tonight that I proposed to you and was accepted, wasn't it?"

"Yes, silly. Why?"

"And the next evening you had a family reunion when I called."

"Yes. Of course, I wanted you to meet all my relatives."

"Of course. And the next night when I called I found a bunch of your old school friends holding down the furniture. And I had to go home with a girl who lived out, as it seemed, a little way beyond the place where the sun sets."

"Well, I wanted you to meet my old friends. I don't see—"

"And the next night the minister of your church was here with his family. I explained to him in the course of the evening that I do not drink and do not gamble and that smoking is not really a habit with me, because I can quit any time I feel inclined."

"Well, of course, you understand, he, being a minister—"

"The following night I found some old friends of your mother's in the parlor and—"

"I don't see why you take that tone. I guess—"

"Wait. The next night it was the members of a club you used to belong to when—"

"Well, they were all nice young people."

"And last night it was Mr. and Mrs. Caraway and their son, who thinks he is a natural born comedian. And tonight it is Mr. and Mrs. Cawsworthy and a niece and old Mrs. Dwyne."

"I think you are perfectly horrid tonight! What do—"

"I just wanted to ask you if I might bring father over to see you tomorrow night?"

"Of course you may! I just know I shall love him."

"And may I bring mother over the next night?"

"Why, certainly you may. The idea! I hope—"

"And my little brother the next night?"

"Of course, but—"

"And the members of our glee club the next night?"

"Yes, I suppose so. But what they've got to do with—"

"And a few—"

"I don't think I have time. I have got tickets to the theater. And I have got to coax a girl to go with me, and I am afraid I shall be late if I don't hurry."

"You should have telephoned to your friend this afternoon."

"I tried to, but the telephone was busy."

"Well, I will excuse you. I hope you will have a pleasant time."

"She is a little girl about your height and she has on a stunning gown and there is a rose in her hair. Oh, go in and make our excuses and come on. Be a good fellow! I haven't had an evening with you since we were engaged, you know I haven't."

"You silly! Of course I'll go. But you've got to go in and entertain them while I get ready."

"How'll I entertain them?"

"Just put a rug over you and growl like a bear; that's the way you've been entertaining me."

"No, but honest—"

"Billy, if any callers ever happen to drop in here on your nights after this I shall give them slices of bread and butter and tell them to run home to their mothers. Stop! They'll hear you and you're spoiling my rose!"

To Find Source of River.

One of the world's unsolved geographical problems concerns the sources of the Brahmaputra river, in Tibet. In a recent attempt to explore this region two European travelers were killed by the natives. A punitive expedition has been organized by the British government, and it is expected that the scientists who are to accompany it will at last solve the puzzle.

PRETTY TABLE FAVORS

Any Number of Devices to Choose From—Bunches of Sweetmeat Flowers—Pink Roses for the Birthday Cake.

The popularity of the little velvet or silk bunch of flowers for the corsage, with beautifully chosen colors—bright ones or "weary" ones together only in one bunch—has led to the fashion abroad of another sort of little posy.

They are choosing bunches of sweetmeat flowers for the table, and very pretty these are, and quite easy to make.

You get green-covered wire and a spirit lamp. You burn one end of the wire in the flame and when red-hot you stick into a piece of melted sugar, which hardens and binds the stem to the flower.

Then you make wires for separate petals and coat them with sugar icing and tint them, say, pink or white for roses, mauve for violets, and use either spinach-colored icing or else angelica for the leaves. Orange drops you heat and roll in granulated sugar for centers of the flowers. The devices may be very numerous.

For instance, you may make the dearest little bunch of white sweetmeat snowdrops to lay by each plate, or one of red autumn berries, tiny dahlias, daisies—what not. Arrange a flat bunch of pink roses and it charmingly decorates a birthday cake.

The greatest fun is to have a different flower to lay before each plate at a dinner table. All sorts of ready-made sweets, tiny to big, that you get at a confectioner's may be pressed in to the service, and split, skinned Jordan almonds make good petals; red comfits may be adopted for plumpers, and so on.

Twist some crystallized violets or roses up into a bunch, adding leaves and wire, and pop this into a little basket, and to the handle fasten some violet flowers, and you have a dainty little ornament to set on the table at dessert.

THE PANNIER DRESS



Right, Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.

Summer gowns will be of pannier effect incorporated in their tulle-trimmed dresses, which, in all probability, will be the rage at summer resorts. The above illustration is a pannier of black and white check silk and bands of black taffeta.

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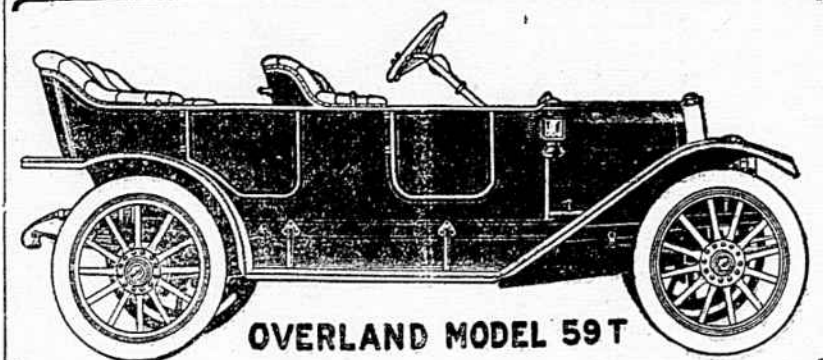
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Senator In Serious Condition.

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DISORDER IN BRUSSELS.

Brussels, June 4.—One person was killed today and several were injured in a clash between the Catholics and Socialists at Koekelberg, during which the military reserves were called out. The disorders continued despite the efforts of police and soldiers in various Belgian towns.

R. F. KNOX, Auctioneer.

By virtue of a decree rendered at the May Term of the Circuit Court for the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in the case of F. P. Marbury et al. vs. The Mercantile-Railway Building & Loan Association, the undersigned Receiver will offer for sale, at public auction, on

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The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the UNITED STATES REALTY COMPANY, of Washington, D. C., incorporated, will be held at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, June 18th, 1912, at 2:30 p. m., at which time the election of directors and officers will be held and such other business will be transacted as will come up.

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